

WEEK 3



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the glory of God;
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of his hands.**

PSALM 19:1

**TAKE A BIG STEP —
THE HOLY SPIRIT
MAKES US BRAVE.**



**ONE SMALL
STEP**



BIG IDEA: Take a big step – the Holy Spirit makes us brave.
BIBLE: Stephen Before the Sanhedrin: Acts 6, 7:54-59; Acts 2:1-21

STEPHEN
(ACTS 6:2-8:2)



“And they stoned Stephen, calling upon God, and saying, Lord Jesus, receive my spirit.”
ACTS 7:59

STEPHEN

(ACTS 6:2-8:2)

MEMORY VERSE:

"And the word of God spread, and the number of the disciples multiplied greatly in Jerusalem, and a great many of the priests were obedient to the faith. And Stephen, full of faith and power, did great wonders and signs among the people." ACTS 6:7-8

TRUE OR FALSE:

1. "Then the twelve summoned the multitude of the disciples and said, 'It is not desirable that we should leave the word of God and serve tables.'" **ACTS 6:2**

TRUE OR FALSE

FILL IN THE BLANK:

2. "Therefore, brethren, seek out from among you seven men of good reputation, full of the Holy Spirit and wisdom, whom we may appoint over this business; but we will give ourselves _____ to prayer and to the ministry of the word." **ACTS 6:3-4**

TRUE OR FALSE:

3. "And the word of God spread, and the number of the disciples multiplied greatly in Jerusalem, and a great many of the priests were obedient to the faith." **ACTS 6:7**

TRUE OR FALSE

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TRUE OR FALSE

FILL IN THE BLANKS:

5. "Then there arose some from what is called the _____ of the Freedmen...disputing with Stephen." **ACTS 6:9**
6. "And they stirred up the people, the elders, and the scribes; and they came upon him, seized him, and brought him to the _____." **ACTS 6:12**
7. "But he, being full of the _____, gazed into heaven and saw the glory of God, and Jesus standing at the right hand of God, and said, 'Look! I see the heavens opened and the Son of Man standing at the right hand of God!' " **ACTS 7:55-56**

UNDERLINE THE CORRECT ANSWER:

8. "Then they..." **ACTS 7:57-58**
- a. cried out with a loud voice
 - b. stopped their ears
 - c. ran at him with one accord
 - d. cast him out of the city
 - e. stoned him
 - f. all of the above

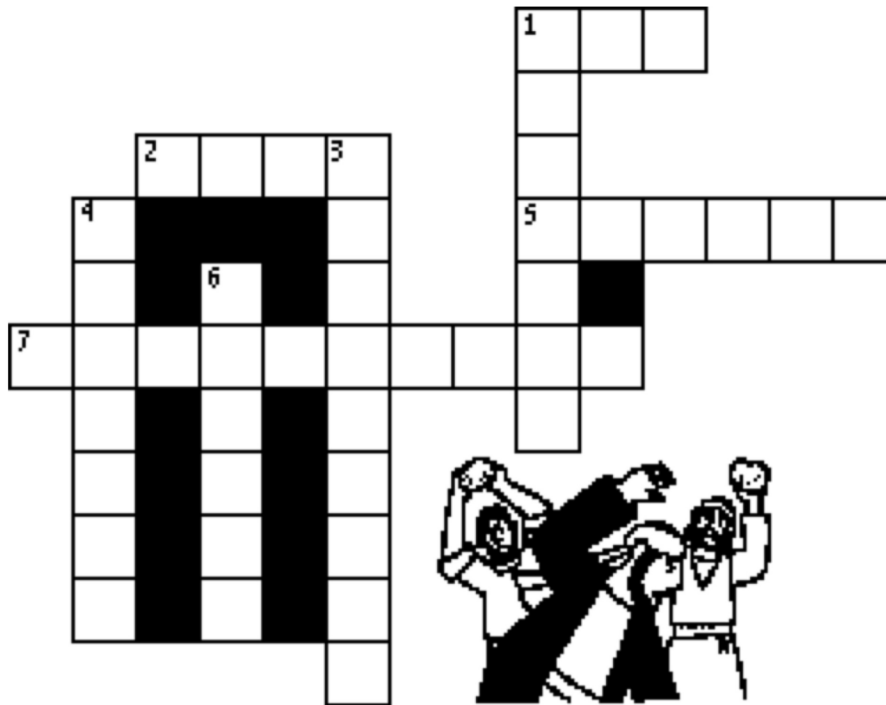
TRUE OR FALSE:

9. "And they stoned Stephen as he was calling on God and saying, 'Lord Jesus, receive my spirit.' Then he knelt down and cried out with a loud voice, 'Lord, do not charge them with this sin.' And when he had said this, he fell asleep." **ACTS 7:59-60**

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"On the Day of Pentecost the disciples are filled with the Holy Spirit"
Acts 2:1 – 41

Costa Mesa Children's Ministry

THE DAY OF PENTECOST

(ACTS 2:1-41)

MEMORY VERSE:

"And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance." ACTS 2:4

TRUE OR FALSE:

1. "Now when the Day of Pentecost had fully come, they were all with one accord in one place." **ACTS 2:1**
TRUE OR FALSE

CIRCLE THE CORRECT WORDS:

2. "And suddenly there came a sound from heaven, as of a rushing mighty (**RHINOCEROS, WIND**), and it filled the whole house where they were sitting." **ACTS 2:2**
3. "Then there appeared to them divided tongues, as of (**FIRE, ICE**), and one sat upon each of them." **ACTS 2:3**

FILL IN THE BLANKS:

4. "And they were all filled with the _____ and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance." **ACTS 2:4**

CIRCLE THE CORRECT WORDS:

5. "Now there were dwelling in Jerusalem Jews, devout men, from every nation under heaven. And when this sound occurred, the multitude came together, and were (**HAPPY, CONFUSED**), because everyone heard them speak in his own language." **ACTS 2:5-6**
6. "So they were all amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, 'Whatever could this mean?' Others mocking said, 'They are full of new wine.' But Peter, standing up with the eleven, raised his voice and said to them, 'Men of Judea and all who dwell in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and heed my words. For these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only the third hour of the day. But this is what was spoken by the prophet (**ISAIAH, JOEL**).' " **ACTS 2:12-16**

TRUE OR FALSE:

7. "Therefore let all the house of Israel know assuredly that God has made this Jesus, whom you crucified, both Lord and Christ." **ACTS 2:36**
TRUE OR FALSE

8. "Now when they heard this, they were cut to the heart, and said to Peter and the rest of the apostles, 'Men and brethren, what shall we do?' " **ACTS 2:37**
TRUE OR FALSE

CIRCLE THE CORRECT WORDS:

9. "Then Peter said to them, '(**REPENT, REBEL**), and let every one of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins; and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.' " **ACTS 2:38**
10. "Then those who gladly received his word were baptized; and that day about three (**HUNDRED, THOUSAND**) souls were added to them." **ACTS 2:41**

THE DAY OF PENTECOST

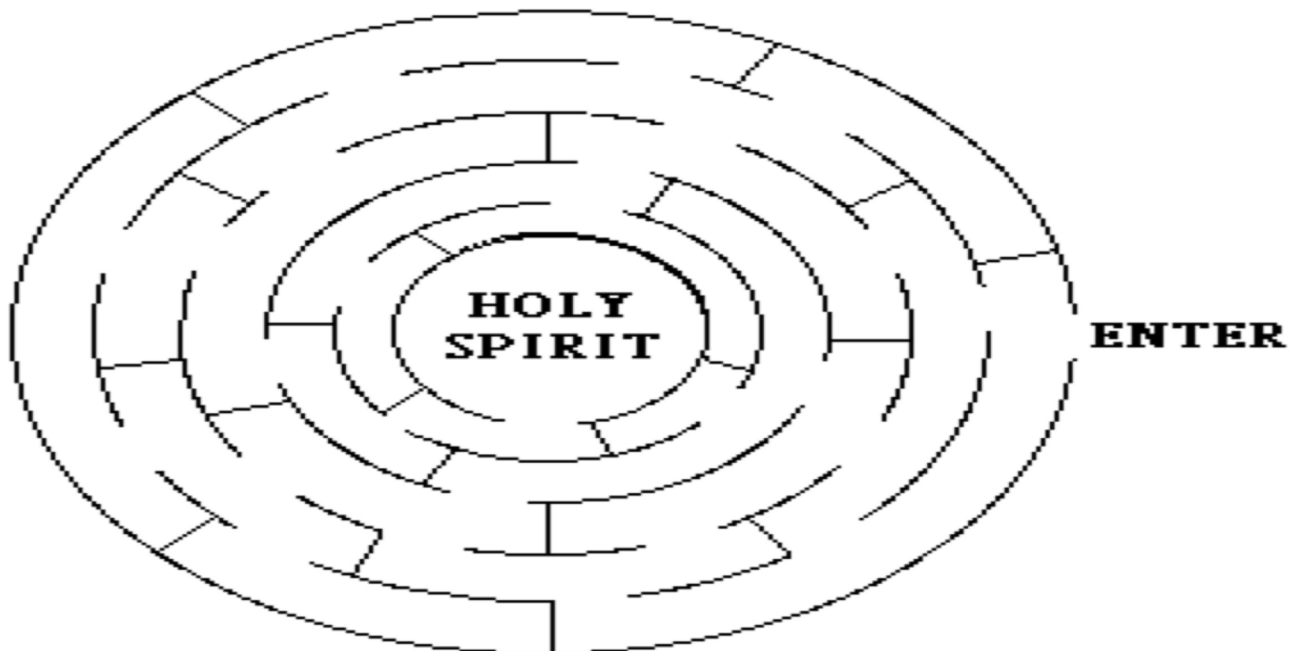
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HEAVEN

HOLY SPIRIT
HOUSE
JESUS
JOEL
LANGUAGE
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MOCKING

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PETER
REPENT
SOUND
THREE THOUSAND
TONGUES



THE HOLY SPIRIT COMES

Acts 2:1-13



Jesus said that after He went to heaven, His Father sent us a special gift. To discover what it was, determine the first letter of each object on the left, follow the path next to each object and put that letter in the box at the end of the path. Read down the column of squares to find out the name of your special gift from Jesus.

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Write the words from the squiggles on the line. Then put the words in order to make a sentence about the Holy Spirit.

THE HOLY SPIRIT COMES

Acts 2:1-13

CRAFT/ACTIVITY: HEADBANDS

Students will make a “tongue of fire” headband to help remind them that the Holy Spirit came on the day of Pentecost.

MATERIALS

1. 67 lb. Cardstock
2. Tongue of Fire Headband Pattern
3. Crayons, Markers, or Colored Pencils
4. Tape
5. Scissors



DIRECTIONS

1. Make copies of the “Tongue of Fire Headband Pattern” for each student onto 67 lb. cardstock.
2. Have students color the “tongue of fire” with crayons, markers, or colored pencils.
3. Allow students to cut out the “tongue of fire” and the headbands on the solid black lines.
4. Tape the “tongue of fire” to the headband pieces.
5. Tape the two headband pieces together around each student’s head.

FOR DISCUSSION

As students are working on their headbands, remind them that Jesus promised to send the Holy Spirit when he ascended to Heaven. The Holy Spirit, also called the Counselor, was sent to guide us in all truth. Help students realize that when they ask Jesus into their hearts, the Holy Spirit dwells in them.

TIME NEEDED TO COMPLETE:

Approximately 15 minutes

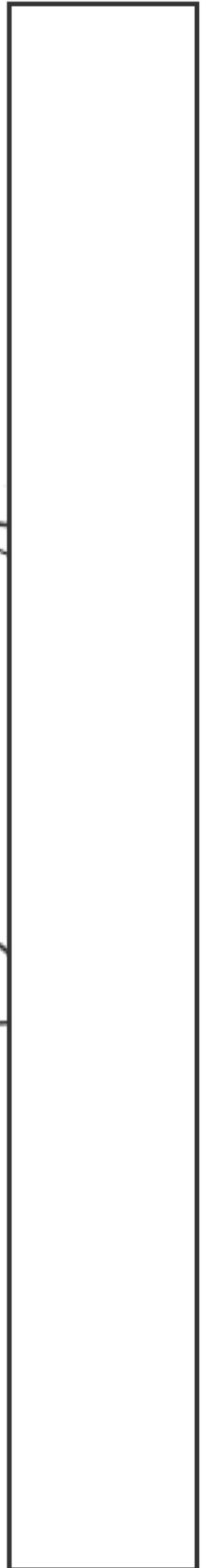
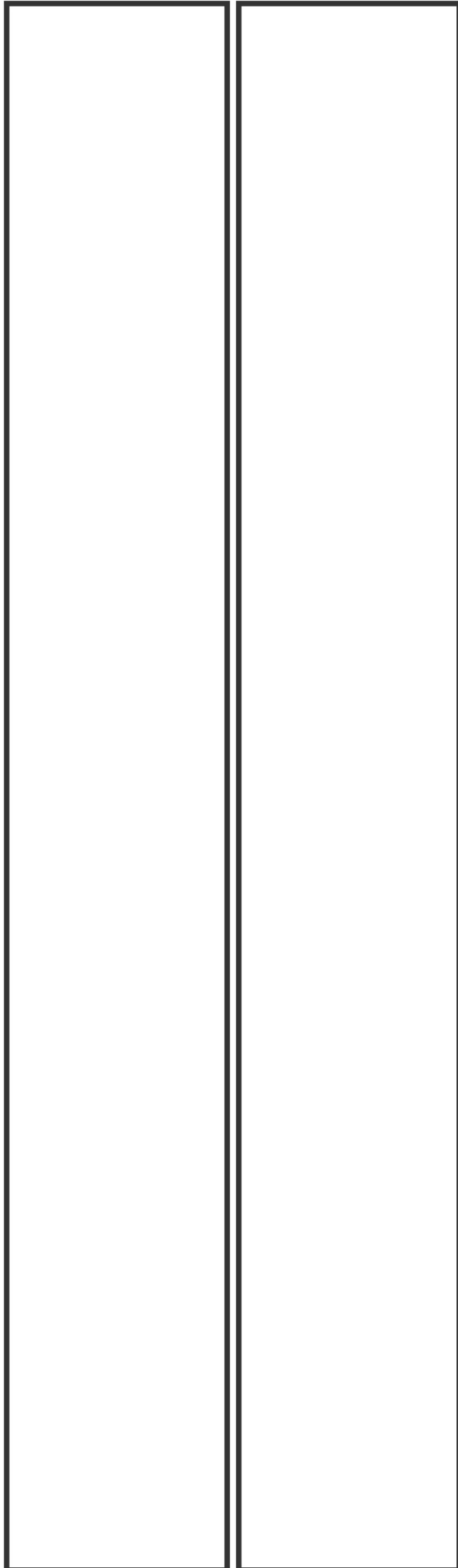
MEMORY VERSE

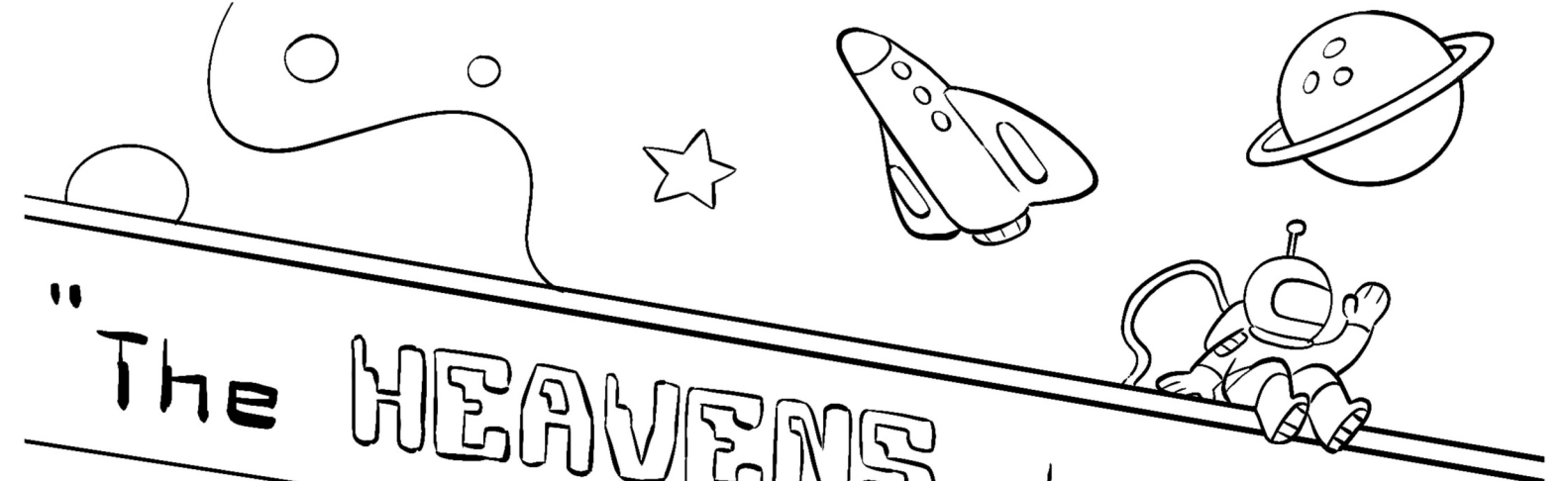
“And the disciples were filled with the Holy Spirit.” Acts 13:52

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TONGUE OF FIRE HEADBAND PATTERN





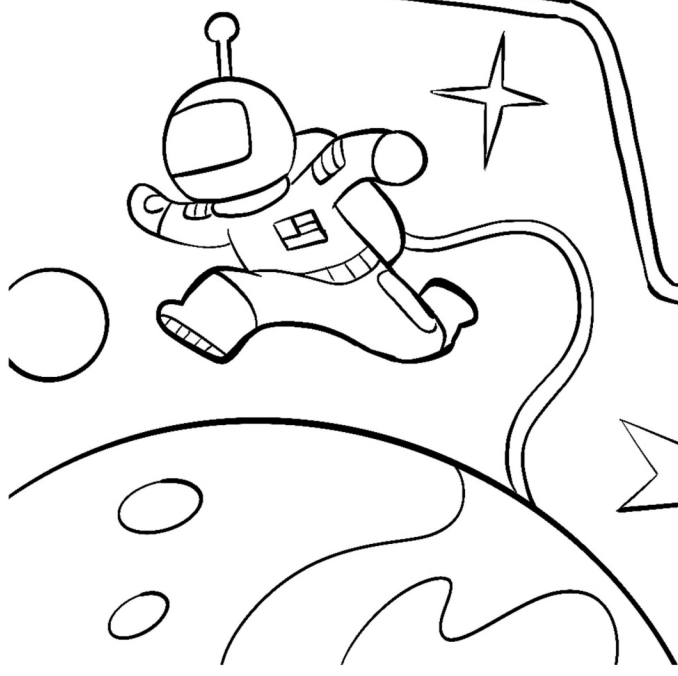
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Psalm 19:1 (NIV)



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Acts 2: 1 21

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**WEEK 3:
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SHARED A MESSAGE
BEFORE THE SANHEDRIN.**

- 1** Complete the boxes.
- 2** Cut the boxes and glue them in order.

ONE SMALL STEP

FLIP BOOK

GLUE OR STAPLE HERE

In Week 3 of our series One Small Step, we looked at how Stephen boldly shared a message to the Sanhedrin.

Acts 6, 7:54-59; Acts 2:1-21

1 WEEK 3 SUMMARY

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2 BIG IDEA

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3 MEMORY VERSE

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ELEMENTARY SONGS

"World Outside Your Window"
 by Hillsong Young and Free

PRESCHOOL SONGS

"The Heavens Declare"
 by Lifeway Kids Worship

4 WORSHIP

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